

FOURTEENTH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
Geneva, 29 May -20 June 1962
ABRIDGED REPORT WITH RESOLUTION
WMO – No. 121.RC.21

Res. 34 (EC-XIV) – MODIFICATIONS TO THE INTERNATIONAL METEOROLOGICAL CODES,
SPECIFICATIONS AND DESCRIPTIVE TERMS AND INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING METHODS OF
CODING

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,
NOTING Recommendations 1, 2, 7, 9, 10, 12, 13 and 15 to 36 (CSM-III) inclusive ,

CONSIDERING the need for bringing the universal meteorological forms of messages and codes up to date as proposed by the Commission for Synoptic Meteorology,

DECIDES:

- (1) To approve Recommendation 1, paragraph (2) of Recommendation 2, Recommendation 10, 12, 15 to 27, paragraph (1), (2) and (3) of Recommendation 29, and Recommendation 30 to 36 (CSM-III) inclusive,
- (3) To endorse the approval already given by the President of WMO on behalf of the Executive Committee to Recommendation 28 (CSM-III),
- (4) That, as a matter of principle, all future code changes should be introduced on 1 January, except when special or urgent requirements justify a departure from this principle,
- (5) That the amendments resulting from the above recommendations shall come into force on 1 January 1964;

DIRECTS the Secretary-General

- (1) To make any necessary minor changes in these amendments in consultation with the president of the Commission for Synoptic Meteorology,
- (3) To publish and distribute not later than 30 October 1963 the new code decisions in Volume B, WMO Publication No. 9.TP.4;
- (4) To inform all concerned of this resolution at an early date and, in doing so, to send a circular letter with advanced copies of the amendments as approved by the Executive Committee.